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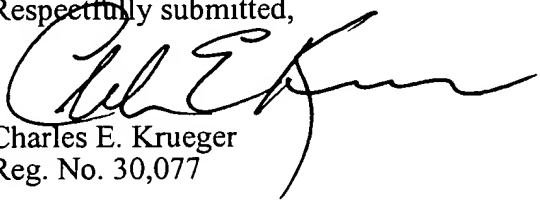
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The attached Appeal Brief, which is the second version filed in the referenced application, is submitted subsequent to a telephone conversation with the examiner. It should be noted that the required five months extension was requested when the original brief was filed on February 6, 2001. Additionally, the filing fee for the Appeal Brief was charged to the undersigned's account on that date. Thus, all fees required in connection with the Appeal Brief have been paid.

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